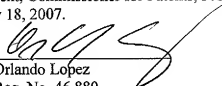


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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.133, Applicants' attorney submits the following written statement of the substance of the telephone interview conducted on July 5, 2007 between Orlando Lopez, Applicants' representative, and Examiner Damon N. Conover.

Claims discussed

1, 3, 8

Prior Art discussed

US Patent 4,736,441, US Patent 5,774,584, and Kahn, P., Kitchen, L., and Riseman, E. M., *A fast line finder for vision-guided robot navigation*, IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence 12, 3 (1990), 1098-1102.

Outcome

The prior art was discussed. No agreement was reached. Applicant will submit a response to prior art.


In accordance with Section 714.01 of the MPEP, the following information is presented in the event that a call may be deemed desirable by the Examiner:

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